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GATHERING OF THE DUNKARDS.

Services Vesterday Were Interesting and Well Attended.

An Aged Delegate Met With a Mishap. Baptized in the Creek-Many Visitors Partake of the Noonday Meal-Celebration of the Lord's Supper and Footwashing This Evening.

The delegates to the annual meeting of the Old German Baptists rested well at their temporary home Friday night, with one exception. Among those domiciled in the barn near the Brubaker farm was Delegase Churchbaugh, an aged brother from Kansas, whose sight is dim. Owing, possibly, to this weakness of vision the old gentleman arose and early in the morning, mistaking an opening in the side of the house on the first floor for a door, stepped out and fell heavily to the ground, some dozen or so feet beneath, bruising him painfully, but it is hoped not seriously. Dr. Baskerville, of Hollins,

was sent for and rendered the necessary attention.

After a substantial breakfast the brethren gathered under the roof of a big barn which is doing service as a tabernacle and seated themselves. From 10 to 12 o'clock there were religious services. 10 to 12 o'clock there were religious services, consisting of prayers and short sermons, interspersed with hymns "lined" out in the good old-fashioned style and sung with much fervor. The brethren who spoke were earnest and some almost eloquent in their talks, all of which were full of apt Biblical allusions setting forth the tenets of their religion.

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At noon a recess was taken during At noon a recess was taken during which several hundred people adjourned to the creek near by, where, after appropriate prayers, Elder Daniel Yoder, of Trenton county, Indiana, baptized an aged sister in the manner peculiar to the brethren, viz, by three immersions face downward. Soon after this, all returned to their seams in the barn where the religious services were continued until three o'clock, when it was announced that the meeting would close nounced that the meeting would close for the day and that at four o'clock din-ner would be served in the large eating

Punctually at the hour named the sisters entered the doors from the north sisters entered the doors from the north side, whilst the brethren entered from the south side and took their seats, twenty-four to the table, as described in yesterday's Times. It will be remembered that there is an aisle down the center of the building, and this divides the sisters from the brethren. It had been publicly requested that the young people allow the old folks to get seated first, and this order was well carried out and observed.

It was noticed thatout of the 650 people seated at the tables at least 150 were

seated at the tables at least 150 were visitors who had come to look on, but were welcomed by the hospitable brethren without any distinction whatever. As soon as all were seated the doors were closed and then the verse of a hymn was sung and a prayer offered were closed and then the verse of a hymn was sung and a prayer offered, both, by request, being in the German tongue, which is much spoken by the brethren in Ohio. Twenty minutes sufficed for dinner, and then after returning thanks the doors were opened and the building vacated. Immediately thereafter the doors were again closed, and the tables again set for those brethren and sisters from Floyd and Franklin.

and the tables again set for those breth-ren and sisters from Floyd and Franklin counties who kept continually arriving all the evening until quite late. To-day at 6 o'clock there will be morning service followed by breakfast at 7. Services again from 10 to 12 and 1 to 3; dinner at 4; in the evening cele-bration of the Lord's supper and foot washing. washing.

A TIMES reporter conversed with a number of the brethren from the West and found them quite pleasant and agreeable. The largest delegations come from the States of Ohio and Indicome from the States of Ohio and Indiana, where they say that less than half a crop of wheat will be made owing to a warm spell in April and a very cold one about the middle of May. From the same causes the corn crop there is backward, although of fruit of all kinds there is an abundance. Those Western brethren commented favorably upon the growing crops they had seen in Virgrowing brethren commented favorably upon the growing crops they had seen in Virginia. They say, however, that the meeting here will not be as well att nied by delegates of their churches as those held in the West on account of the difficulty experienced in getting here. It is hard to obtain an estimate of the number present, but the general opinion of the best posted of the brethren seemed to be that it would range between a thousand and fifteen hundred. Of course, to-day the visitors and spec-

ren seemed to be that it would range between a thousand and fifteen hundred. Of course, to-day the visitors and spectators will be there by the thousands, judging by the way horses and teams have been engaged beforehand in Roancke and Salem.

Sheriff Zirkle, with Deputies Peters, Blackwell and Rishop were on hand yesterday to keep order, but their services were really not needed, and it is hoped that the same can be said when to-day is over.

The refreshment booths are well supplied with cooling drinks, fruits and confectioneries, whilst Millard Huff is also operating a first-class restaurant, so that no one need suffer to-day. Even the horses can be fed on the grounds. The reporter was under obligations to The norses can be fed on the grounds. The reporter was under obligations to so many people yesterday that he fears he would weary his readers if he attempted to name them all; every one, including the Roanoke Street Railway Company, did all they could to assist him, for which he is truly grateful.

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ALL QUIET AT POCAHONTAS. so Far as That Place is Concerned the Strike is Over. Special to THE TIMES.

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Pocahontas, June 1.—The day passed off quietly here and nothing of special interest has occurred. The outputs were about as usual. So far as Pocahontas is concerned the strike is over.

The situation on the Elkhorn to day is a little more interesting than usual, owing to the importation of sixty new men, all white, from Roanoke, who arrived last night, and a majority of whom went to work this morning. The crowd was divided between Crczer and Upland. Two of the strike leaders, Ike Bratton and King Lee, succumbed to the popular idea of going to work.

The Southwest Company got in more men to-day. There seems to be no disposition on the part of the miners to create trouble, but one thing is evident, they will leave the fields before they will consent to the 20 per cent. reduction. Many of them are determined not to go to work until they are given scales. Their fight against the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company seems to be over, and now they are going for the operators.

Major Simmons and Lieutenant Howell visited Captain Graham at Eckman this morning. They met both Lawless and Webb and interviewed them on the subject of the strike. Lawless was in no mood to give in, and would make no concessions so far as his demands were concerned.

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Lieut. George Bentley, of the Roanoke
Light Infantry, returned home yesterday from Pocahontas, and will not go
back unless so ordered. He informed a
Times reporter last night that all of the
companies will be relieved Thursday.

GERMANS TO DISCUSS SILVER. Resolutions Adopted by the German Bi-

BERLIN, June 1.—The silver question will come up for discussion before the Bundesrath during the coming week, at the instance of Prince Hohenlohe, the

Bundesrath during the coming week, at the instance of Prince Hobenlohe, the imperial chancellor, and with the cooperation of the Prussian ministry.

The German Bimetallic Union has adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, The bimetallic movement in England is, according to our information, on the eve of victory, and.

Whereas, public opinion in Germany is governed, even in government circles, by the prejudice that it would be a doubtful policy to attempt to carry out international bimetallism with the cooperation of France, the United States, etc., so long as England adheres to the gold standard. It is, therefore

Resolved, By the German bimetallists to make Germany's action in the currency question dependent upon England's participation, always provided that the government immediately take all the measures calculated to bring about international himstallism includ-

all the measures calculated to bring about international bimetallism includ-ing England and urge the speedy adhesion of England to this program.

ONLY A BOOMLET.

General Schoffeld Says He Hears No Pres-idential Bee Buzzing.

DENVER, Col., June 1.—Lieutenant General Schofield arrived in Denver to-

General Schofield strived in Denver to-day from New Mexico. He is making his last official visit to the various military posts before his retirement next September. When asked about his Presidential boom he replied:

"I have never given that matter any consideration. My career has been and is military and scientific. I know nothing about politics and never voted in my life. I have read a number of notices of late about my Presidential boom, but thought the boom was only a boomlet, originating in the brains of New York politicians."

More Associated Press Recruits

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WASHINGTON, June 1.—The Washington Post has abandoned the United Press and joined the Associated Press. The Morning Call, the only United Press paper (morning) in Minnesota, which was started last September by the veteran journalist, H. P. Hall, in its issue of to-day announced that it would retire from the field, having sold its subscription list and good will to the Dally Globe, a member of the Associated Press and one of the oldest established morning papers in St. Paul. tablished morning papers in St. Paul.

Mrs. Gresham to Live in Chicago. WASHINGTON, June 1.—It is announced that Mrs. Gresham will not return to Washington, but will make hor residence in Chicago hereafter with her children. All the effects of the late children. All the effects of the late secretary at the Arlington have been packed up and will be shipped to Chicago. As Secretary Gresham had no real property here, it is believed that his will will not be submitted for probate in Washington.

China's Tribute to Gresham. WASHINGTON, June 1 .- The Chinese WASHINGTON, June 1.—The Chinese minister here to-day sent to the State Department a cablegram he had received from the Tsung Li Yamen station stating that the imperial government and the ministers of the Tsung Li Yamen desire to convey to the United States an expression of their deep sympathy and condolence on the sad occasion of the demise of Secretary Gresham.

Gresham. Chicago's Hospitality Appreciated.

CHICAGO, June 1.—Before leaving the city the Southern visitors met in the Palmer House and adopted resolutions expressing to the citizens of Chicago their high appreciation of the generous hospitality extended to them during their attendance at the dedicatory cere-monies of the Confederate monument in Oakwood Cemetery.

Death in the Flames.

EDINBURGH, June 1.—Fire broke out to-day in the Fifeshire main colliery, and nine men were killed while trying to quench the flames. In addition, several would-be rescuers of these men were seriously burned.

Wife Murderer to be Electrocuted. ELMIRA, N. Y., June 1.—Martin V. Strait was to-day sentenced to be killed by electricity during the week beginning July 21, for the murder of his wife. He

MANAGER BREEN RELEASED.

His Fine Playing For Petersburg Creates a Sensation.

He Hits the Ball Often But Can't Keep Reanoke From Crawling Out of Last Place-A Tremendous Batting Raily in the Eighth Gives Roanoke the Game - Richmond and Portsmouth Also Winners.

PETERSBURG. June 1 .- Judge King secretary of the Roanoke Baseball Association, arrived in Petersburg this morning. Manager Breen to day tendered his resignation as manager of the team. The resignation was at once accepted, and he was given his unconditional release. He has not been successful in getting the full playing strength from the players under his control, who as individuals are the equals of any team in the league. The inability of the club to win games while under his management led to widespread dissatisfaction among the supporters of the team in Roanoke, and for some time his retirement has been considered a foregone conclusion.

Dick Padden has been placed in charge of the team both on and off the field, while W. J. Wright, of Roanoke, will accompany the aggregation as financial manager while on the present

trip.

The team left for Portsmouth to night and will be taken to Virginia Beach to-

and will be taken to Virginia Beach tomorrow for a day's enjoyment.

Ex-Manager Breen played shortstop
for the Petersburg team to-day and
created a sensation by his performance
both in the field and at the bat. He
made three of Petersburg's seven hits.
He has received an offer to sign with
Petersburg and also has an offer from
Columbus, Ohio, but has not decided
yet which offer he will accept.

The intelligence that Jimmie Breen had been released as manager and player was received yesterday by the cranks in this city with more or less satisfaction. A great majority of the patrons of the game had long ago decided that Breen's ability as a player were below par, and they made their objections manifest by "roasting" him unmercifully from the bleachers during the games. Many of those who are well posted believe that he was seriously handicapped by the responsibilities incident to the management of the team and the discouragement caused by his manifest inability to win a fair share of the games played, and that these causes militated against his own playing. The excellent account he gave of himself in the game yesterday against his former comrades seems to bear out the latter hypothesis.

Whatever may have been the cause of his failure to meet the requirements of his joint position of managers. The intelligence that Jimmie Breen

his fallure to meet the requirements of his joint position of manager and player, the general lack of confidence on the the general lack of confidence on the part of the people who pay their money to see the home team try to win games has made the step taken yesterday inevitable. His signal error of judgment on Thursday in keeping Gaffaey in the game until nine runs had been tatted out and the game hopelessly lost and then substituting Viox, has undoubtedly proved to be the last straw.

How We Reached Fifth Place.

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PETERSBURG, June 1 — Jimmle Breen, lately manager of the Roanokes, played short for the locals to-day in the absence of Hall, who was injured in a collision yesterday, and cut a wide swath in the game. He was in the plate four times, once getting his base on balls and three times lining out safely. His performance in the field was gilt-edged, and the local management will be happy if they can make satisfactory arrangements with him to sign here ments with him to sign here
Foreman and Stahl were the opposing

Poreman and Stahl were the opposing pitchers. Foreman kept the hits well scattered except in the eighth inning, when he was pounded severely and lost his game.

At the end of the fifth inning the score was a tie, one run having been scored in each side on home-run hits by Sullivan and Fizsimmons. In the sixth Lippertled off with a double and reached third on a passed ball. Lyons was hit by a pitched ball and stole to second. Both mon scored on Breen's safe hit.

With the score three to one against them, the visitors rudely feil upon Foreman and batted out a victory. Stahl and Sherer were safe on a hit and a base on balls respectively. Padden's little grounder was fielded to second, but Lippart deprond. grounder was fielded to second, but Lippert dropped the throw and the sacks were covered. Then Little drove out a double, ecoring Stahl and Sherer. A passed ball tailled Padden, and Little came around on Bradley's single. The latter reached second on a passed ball and scored on Viox's single.

Breen came along in the ninth with his third hit. Pender got a life by Cavanaugh's error. Foreman's sacrifice advanced both men, and they came home on Gill's safe one. The latter was thrown out in trying to steal second, and Alloway ended the game by striking out.

The features of the game were the home runs by Sullivan and Fitzsimmons. Lippert's pair of doubles and Breen's clean batting record.

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Stahl, 1. Struck out—Foreman, 5; Stahl, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Lyons, Sullivan Stolen bases—Lippett, Lyons and Breen. Wild pitch—Foreman. Fased balls—Gill, 2; Clark, 1. Time of game—Two hours. Umpire—Mitchell.

Richmond, 7; Lynchburg, 4.

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RICHMOND, June 1.—Rank errors on the part of Lynchburg and hits at the right time by Behne. Groves, Wells and Kain gave Richmond the game. The visitors twice had the bases covered, but the splendid work of Flynn in the box kept them from hitting safely. Two of Lynchburg's runs were made on an error of McGowan's.

Portsmouth, 6; Norfolk, 4.

Norfolk, Va., June 1.—Portsmouth made it three straights to-day, owing to the wildness of Weeks and errors by McGann and Kelly. The game was a long drawn one. long drawn one.

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Batteries-Brandt and Childs; Weeks and
Geler.

How the Clubs Stand

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Portsmouth.20	16	556 Norfolk 11 26	20

Games Scheduled For To-morrow Roanoke at Portsmouth; Norfolk at Lynchburg; Petersburg at Richmond.

Baseball Notes.

Catcher Welch will start for Roanoke from Fort Wayne to morrow. His pitcher, Mahaffy, will not accompany him, having signed elsewhere before receiving Roanoke's acceptance of his terms. Vigorous efforts are now being made to secure a couple of firstclass twirlers, with hopes of success.

O'Haran's contract with Norfells or

O'Hagan's contract with Norfolk expired with Sommers' retirement from that team, by a clause in the contract, and Petersburg is now dickering for his services.

services.
While the Magicians are within hearing distance, it is to be hoped that the wild waves will say, "Play ball!"
Roanoke is now weak in the pitching department, having but three twirlers Roanoke is now weak in the pitching department, having but three twirlers who can be depended upon, and the injury or illness of either Lloyd, Stahl or Viox means disaster.

National League Games. Batteries-McGill and Buckley; Griffith and Kittridge. Batteries-Hemming and Clarke; Young and O'Connor.

At Washington: R. H. Washington. 5 0 0 1 0 3 5 6 1—21 19 Louisville. 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—4 9 Batteries-Maul, Malarkey and McGuire and Coogan; Luby and Welch and Zahner.

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Plumbers Resolve to Strike.

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BUFFALO, N. Y., June 1.—The union plumbers, gas and steam fitters of this city, who number about 800, have resolved to strike next Monday for shorter hours and higher wages. The men at present are receiving 82:50 to \$3.75 a day for nine hours work. They want \$3 a day and eight hours to constitute a day's labor. As far as is known only one firm has signified its intention of acceding to the demands of the men.

Alleged Wife Murderer Captured

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., June 1.-After hiding 'in the woods for four days, durhiding 'in the woods for four days, during which time he was almost entirely without food, Samuel Neurr, the wife murderer, was captured near Brown's mills last night and lodged in the county jail. Although greatly exhausted he made a vigorous resistance, but was soon overpowered. All he will say is that no one saw him commit the crime.

British War Ships Go to Jed dah.

ALEXANDRIA, June 1.—Th ree British war ships have left this port for Jeddah in order to insist upon the punishment of the Bedouins, who were concerned in the murder of the British vice-consul there and the wounding of the British consul, the Russian consul and the sec-retary of the French legation. The re-mainder of the British Mediteranean equadron has gone to Beyroot.

Wilson To Speak In Mississippi Wilson To Speak in Mississippi.
WASHINGTON, June 1.— PostmasterGeneral Wilson left here this evening
for his home in West Virginia. From
there he will go to Oxford, Miss., where
he will deliver the address at the commencement exercises of the University
of Mississippi on June 4

Tube Workers Wages Raised

READING, Pa., June 1.—The Reading Iron Company to-day restored the wages of its 500 tube works employes to what they were in 1893. This is equal to a ten per cent, increase. The wages of employes in the other departments will

Fell From the Roof.

Bosron, June 1.—Owing to the in-tense heat last night John Callahan, of by electricity during the week beginning
July 21, for the murder of his wife. He
will be taken to Auburn prison Monday.

Earned runs—Petersburg, 4: Roanoke 1. Home
runs—Sullivan. Elizsimmons. Two base hite—
Lippert, 2. Bases on balls—Off Foreman, 3; South Boston, went up on the roof to sleep. This morning he was found on

THE PULLMAN COMPANY WINS.

Judge Baker's Long Delayed Opinion Rendered.

He Decides the Company Had Full Authority to Do All it Was Claimed That It Had Done, Except as to the Stock in the Small Subsidiary Company-The Case Will be Appealed.

CHICAGO, June 1.—Several months ago Attorney General Moloney began quo warranto proceedings against the Pullman Palace Car Company for the purpose of taking away the company's charter and terminating its corporate exists ence. In his information the attorney general set up that the car company had violated its charter by buying real estate and building the town of Pollman, by erecting and operating the Pullman building in this city, by manufacturing brick and in other ways.

brick and in other ways.

The case has been pending in the courts ever since. It was elaborately argued some time ago and Judge Baker handed down his decision to-day. The decision was favorable to the company in all points but one. The court held that the company had the right to own the Pullman building, the brick yard land and to sell liquor, on cars, but had no right to own Pullman Iron and Steel Company stock. No judgment was entered against the company.

Judge Baker's opinion is a long and exhaustive one, fully considering each of the usurpationscharged and in discussing the law applicable to them. He lays down that under its implied powers the company had full authority to do all it was claimed that it had done, except as to the stock in the small subsidiary company. As to the fundamental question of the right of the company to build and own the town of Pullman for the purpose for which it was built and owned, the position of the company was

question of the right of the company to build and own the town of Pullman for the purpose for which it was built and owned, the position of the company was fully sustained in every particular.

The decision is in effect a declaration that a corporation may engage in any business which may be considered advantageous, or necessary adjunct to the business specifically set cut in its charter without violating the law, or exceeding its corporate powers. Thus the court holds that the company had the right to erect an office building which would be large enough to accommedate its business for years to come, no matter how considerable the increase, and had the right to rent out in the meantime such portions of the building as were not required for the company's own use.

building as were not required for the company's own use.

The case will be taken to the Illinois superior court. If that tribunal sustains Judge Baker the company will go with its business undisturbed and with its methods of business practically unchanged by the suit of the attorney general. eral.

Weekly Bank Statement.

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New York, June 1.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Reserve, increase, \$1,246,100; loans, increase, \$2,448,500; specie, increase, \$1,056,600; legal tender, increase, \$1,271,000; deposits, increase, \$4,326,000; circulation, decrease, \$65,200. The banks now hold \$41,221,250 in excess of the requirements of the 25 pass cent the requirements of the 25 per cent.

Smelters Strike for More Money.

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CHEROKEE, Kans., June 1.—The smelter men of the Cherokee Mining and Smelter Company to day struck for an increase of 15 per cent. in their wages. The company offered five per cent. advance but it was declined. The furnaces are running on a dead fire but naces are running on a dead fire but unless a settlement is soon effected the fires will be drawn and the works closed.

\$100,000 Fire in Shenandoah, Pa SHENANDOAH, Pa., June 1.—A \$100,000 fire started at midnight in the stable
of Charles E. Titman, on Market street,
and over 150 people were rendered
homeless. The origin of the fire is a

yetery. Hot Weather and the Departments.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Owing to the hot weather most of the government departments closed at 3 p. m. to-day and will close early on Saturdays during the rest of the summer.

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